Improvement of tank—Kunnamkulam.

49. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—With reference to question No. 306 answered on 18th February 1931, will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether as mentioned in the answer to the sub-division (2) necessary provision for the improvement of the tank in question has been included in the budget of the current year ;

(2) and if not, what is the reason for not acting according to the assurance contained in the reply given to the petitioners ?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—(1) Yes.

(2) No answer is necessary.

Road through Panangai lane.

50. Mr. K. T. Mathew.— Will the Government be pleased to inform:—

(a) when was the 1st petition for opening a road through Panangai lane received by the Government ;

(b) how many petitions have been subsequently received by the Government for opening this road ; from whom they have been received and the dates of the petitions ;

(c) whether a copy of the Diwan's Proceedings dated 1st October 1927, Dis. No. 166/D/03 be printed and placed on the table ;

(d) whether the Chief Engineer had written to the Government to include this item of work in the budget of 1106 ;

(e) what was the reply received by him ;

(f) whether the Chief Engineer had included this item of work in the P. W. D. budget for the current year submitted to the Government ;

(g) what was the request contained in the petition dated 16th Karkadagam 1101 received by the Government from Mr. Kuruvilla Joseph and others, Kunnamkulam ;

(h) whether the Government have received a petition dated 24th Kanni 1106 from Mr. Chakku Thomaye and others, Kaniapal, Kunnamkulam ; and if so, what was their prayer ;

(i) what reply was given to the petitioners ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) On 1st October 1926.

(b) One petition from Kaniamkulam Joseph Kuruvilla and others, dated 15th Thulam 1104.

(c) A copy of the Diwan's Proceedings is appended (*Appendix XIII*).

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(d) The Chief Engineer had suggested to the Government to include this in 1107 budget, if funds could not be had for doing it from savings in 1106.

(e) It was ordered in Diwan's Proceedings Dis. 751/D/06, dated 25th October 1930, Development Department, to provide for the work in 1107 budget.

(f) Yes. But it had to be postponed for want of funds.

(g) For opening a road through Panangai lane.

(h) No. But the Chief Engineer had received a petition dated 24th Kanni 1106 from Kakkasheri Chakko Thomaye and others praying for the opening of a road through Panangai lane.

(i) That the matter was under consideration of Government.

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